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BARROW, ALASKA.

CHAPTER

1

THIS TOWN HAS BEEN
ATTACKED BEFORE.

IT WASN'T THE GREAT
UNDISCOVERED SECRET
THEY THOUGHT.

NOVEMBER 17, 2011.

THE WHOLE ARCTIC CIRCLE HAS
BEEN A HUNTING GROUND FOR
AS LONG AS THEY EXISTED.

BUT THEY WENT TOO FAR WHEN
THEY ATTACKED BARROW EARLY
IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM.











WHAT WILL THEY DO WITH IT NOW?

STORE IT UNTIL WE CAN MOVE IT SOMEWHERE WITH THE PROPER EQUIPMENT TO TEST SAMPLES WITHOUT EXPOSING IT TO AIR OR LIGHT.



WHAT HAPPENS IF IT'S EXPOSED?

FASTEST DECOMPOSITION I'VE EVER SEEN, FROM LIVING MATTER TO ASH IN MINUTES.



ALL OF THIS IS A WASTE OF TIME AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED. WHY ARE WE WASTING OUR TIME WHEN WE HAVE REAL THREATS OUT THERE?



I'M SO SORRY.





A STORE SECURITY CAMERA LOCATED NOT TEN BLOCKS FROM YOUR BASE OF OPERATIONS CAUGHT THIS.



WHEN WAS THIS?

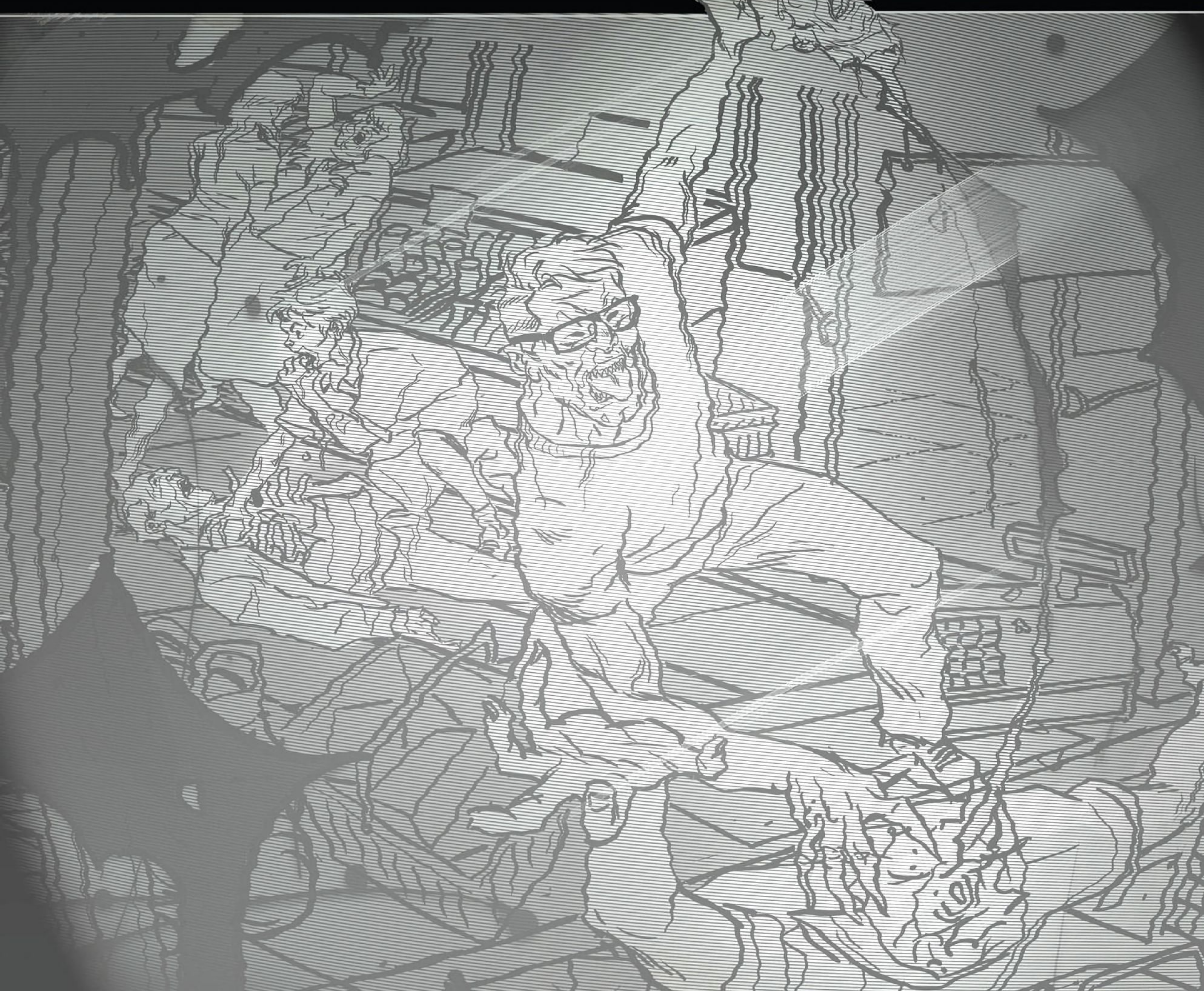
LAST NIGHT... ABOUT THE SAME TIME YOU HAD YOUR RUN-IN.



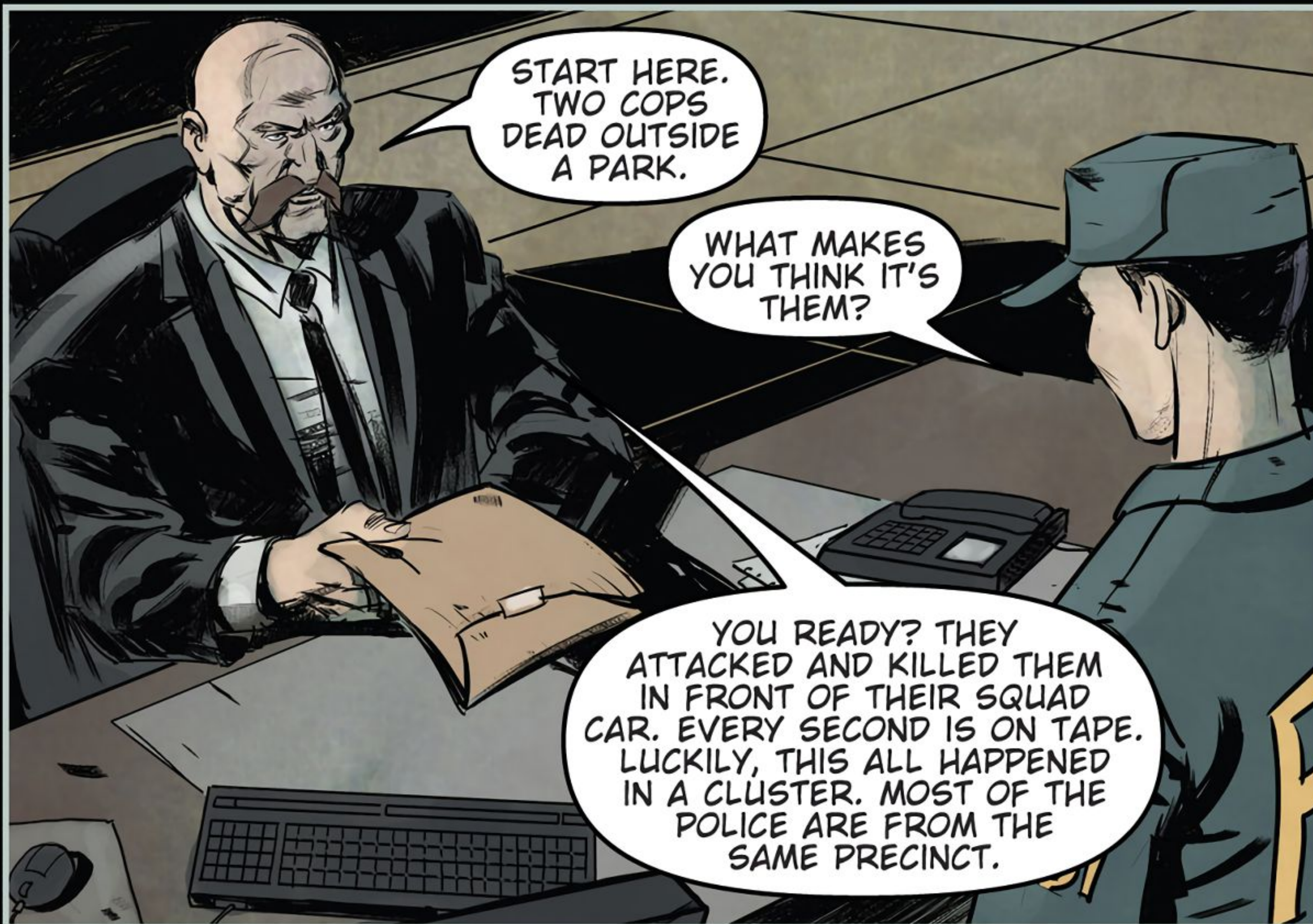
DOES THIS MEAN WE'RE BACK ON OR ARE YOU JUST—



—HOLY SHIT.







I THINK I ALWAYS
HATED THEM.

THEM, THIS TOWN.

THEY DRAINED
ME OF MY LIFE
RIGHT UP TO
THE MOMENT
I GAVE IT UP
FOR THEM.

FOR YEARS I LET STELLA
HOLD ME BACK WHILE I
HUNTED MORE AND MORE
IN SECRET.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

I NEVER UNDERSTOOD HER
ABILITY TO BALANCE. LIKE DANE.
I WAS NEVER LIKE THEM.

I ALWAYS
WANTED
TO FEED.

WITHOUT HER,
THERE'S NOTHING
HOLDING ME BACK.



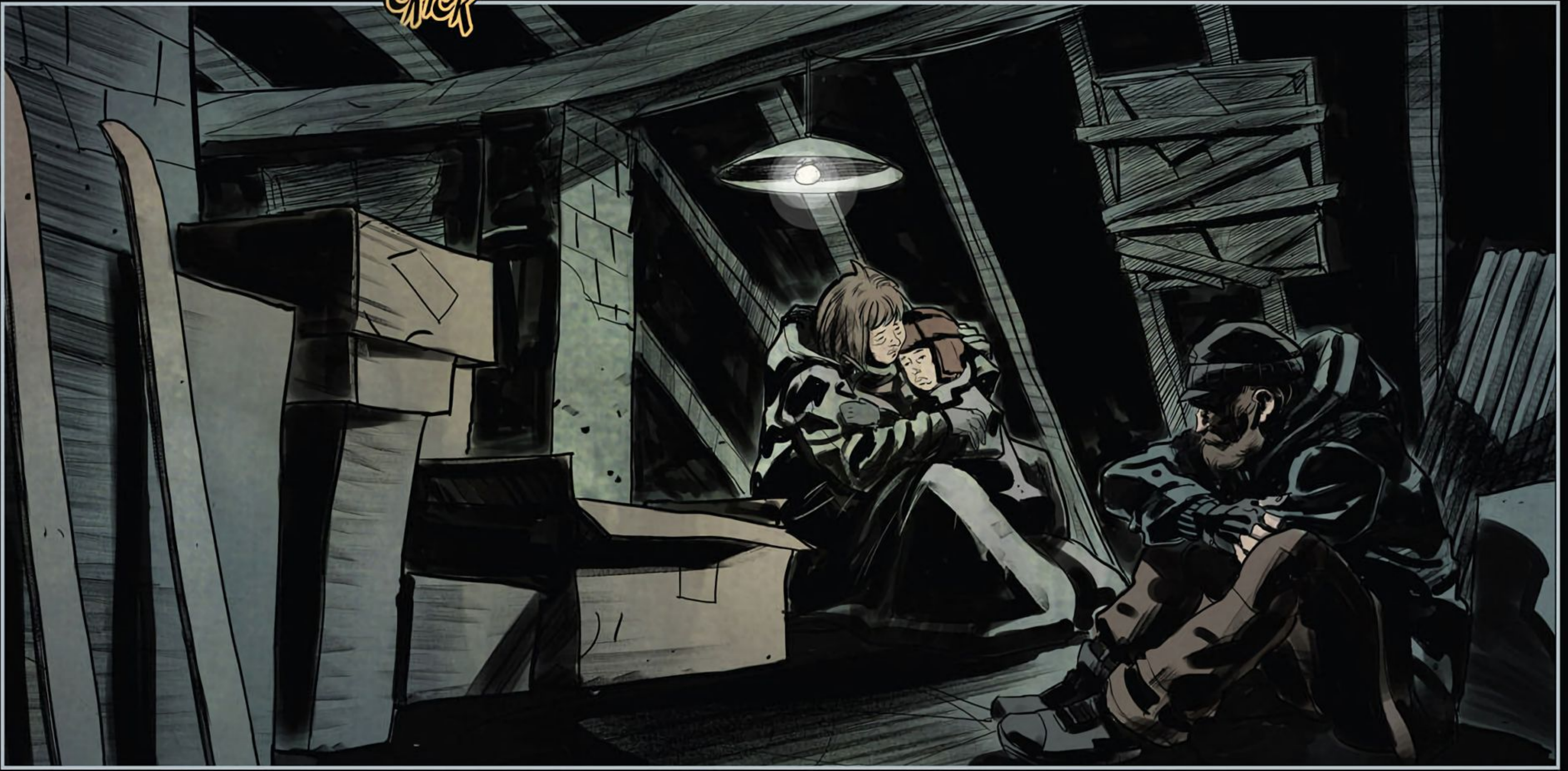








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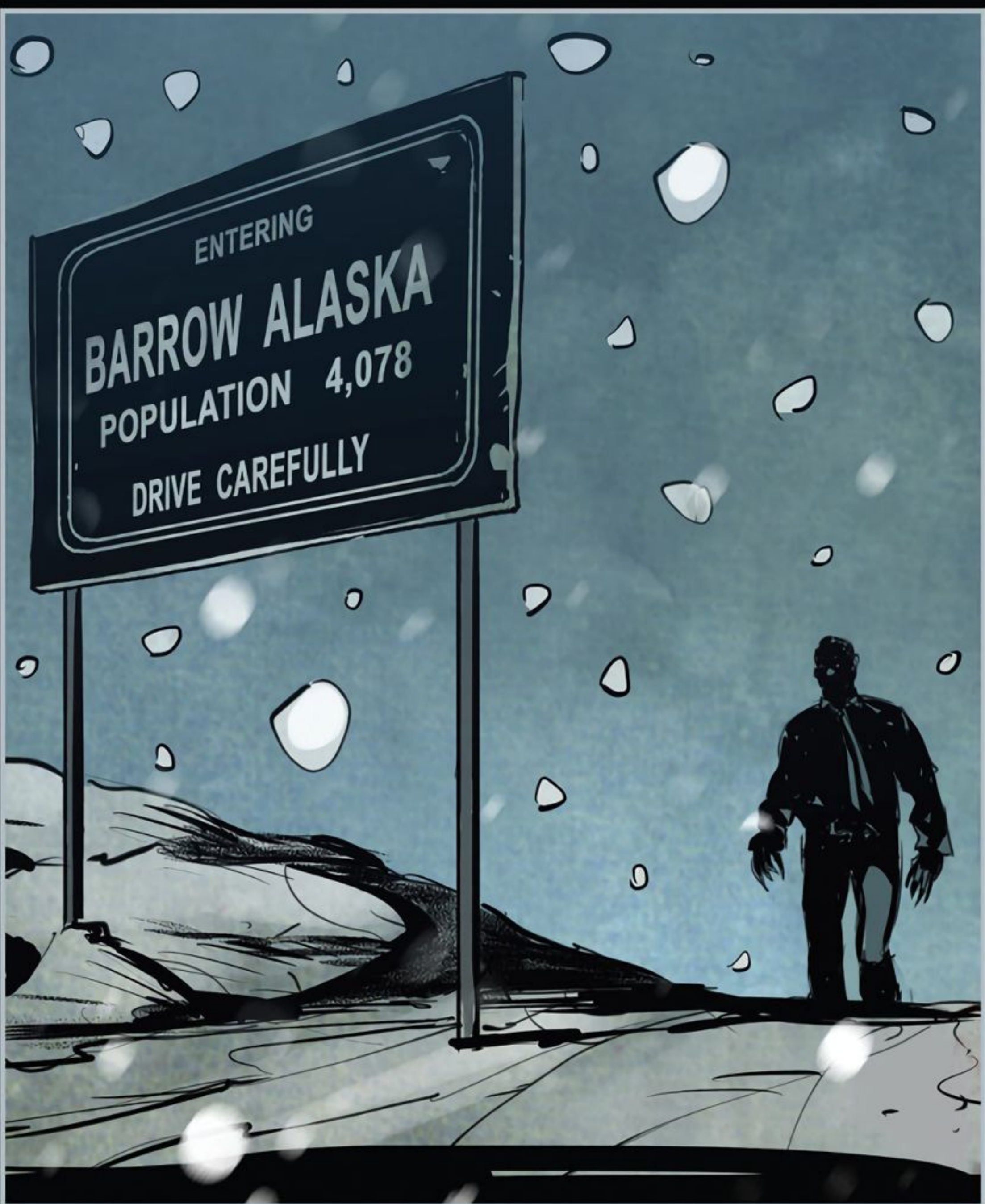


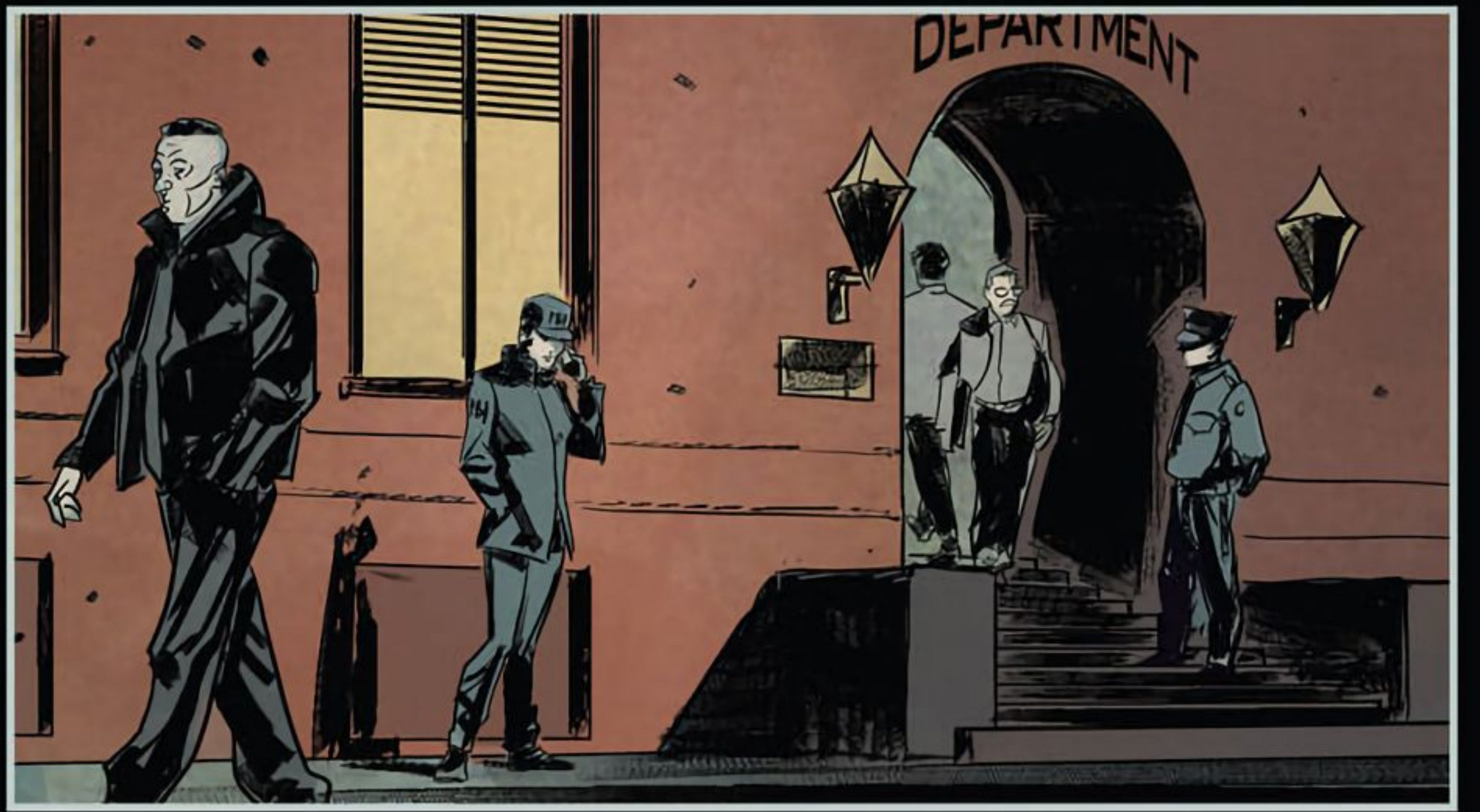
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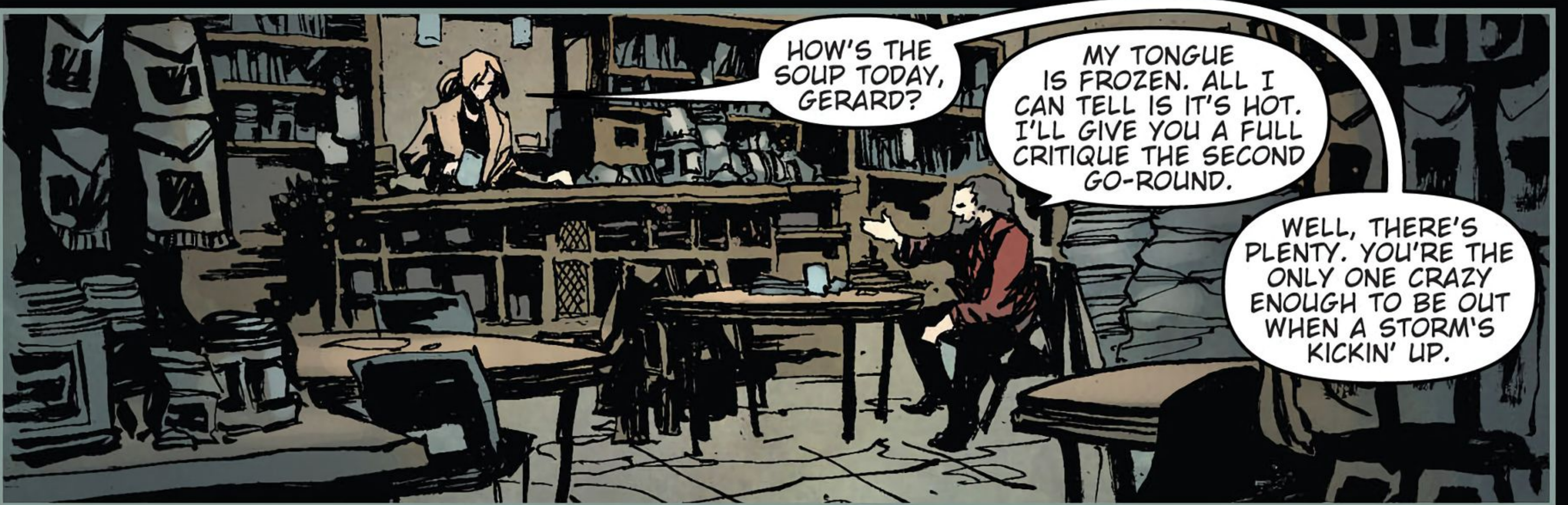












HOW'S THE SOUP TODAY, GERARD?

MY TONGUE IS FROZEN. ALL I CAN TELL IS IT'S HOT. I'LL GIVE YOU A FULL CRITIQUE THE SECOND GO-ROUND.

WELL, THERE'S PLENTY. YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE CRAZY ENOUGH TO BE OUT WHEN A STORM'S KICKIN' UP.







"I CAME UP HERE WITH MY PRODUCTION PARTNER TO FILM POLAR BEARS AND OTHER INDIGENOUS ANIMALS DURING THE DARK DAYS."

"FILM?"



"I PHOTOGRAPH WILDLIFE FOR TELEVISION DOCUMENTARIES. I THOUGHT WE COULD GET SOME UNUSUAL FOOTAGE IN THE DARK."

"I GUESS I HAD THAT RIGHT."



"WE FOUND AN OPEN AREA JUST NORTH OF HERE AND SET UP. KAREN SET HERS UP ABOUT 500 YARDS AWAY FROM ME."

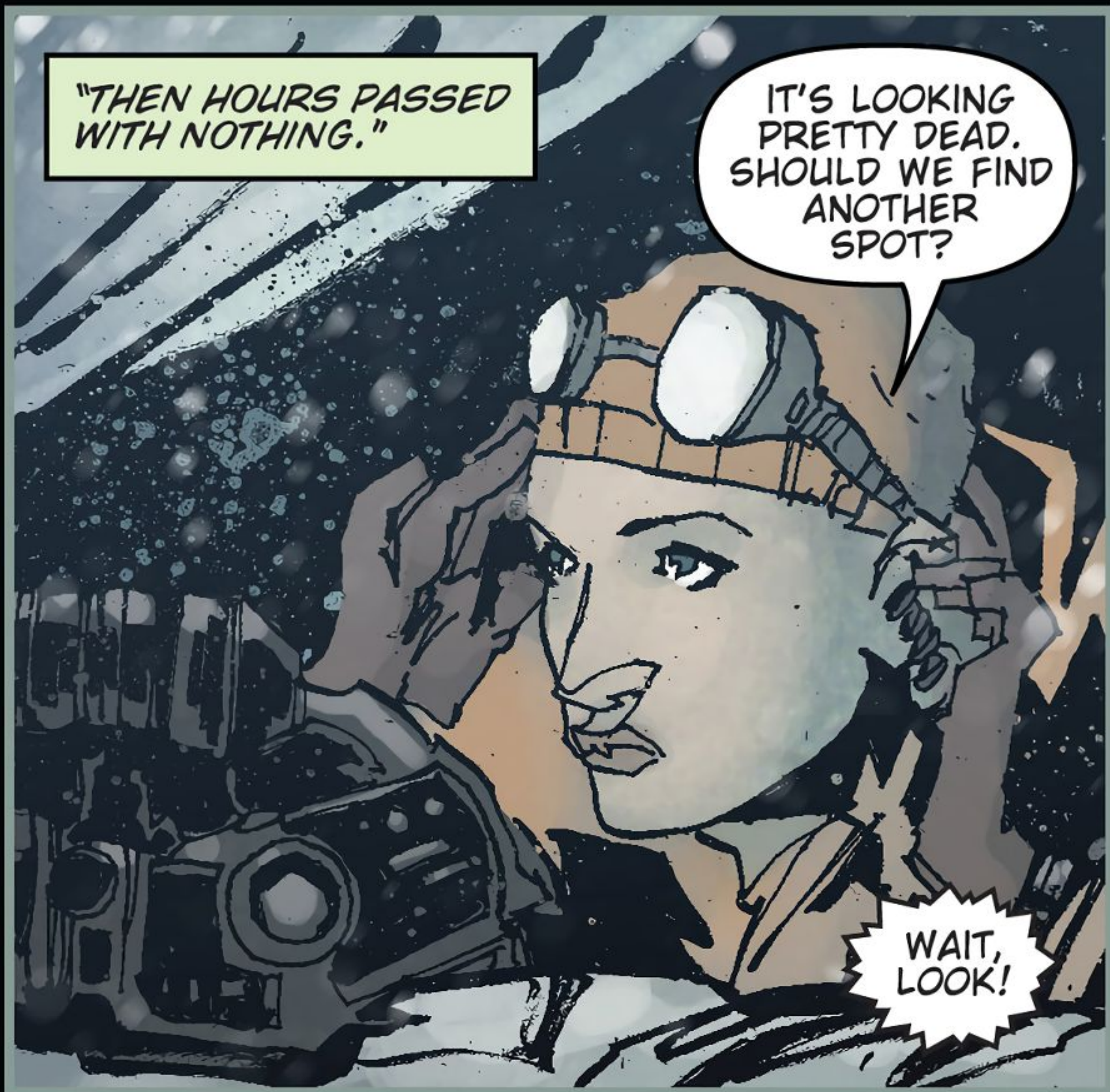


"THE IDEA WAS TO CAMP OUT AND CAPTURE FOOTAGE FROM TWO STATIC LOCATIONS AS ANIMALS PASSED BY."



"WITHIN THE FIRST HOUR WE GOT LUCKY. A MOTHER POLAR BEAR AND HER CUB CAME BY, RETURNING FROM THE WATER."

"WE GOT SOME SPECTACULAR FOOTAGE."



"THERE WERE FIVE OF THEM."



"PEOPLE, I THOUGHT, BUT THEY WERE DRESSED LIKE THEY WERE WALKING DOWN A CITY STREET ON A HOT SUMMER NIGHT."



"AND THEY WEREN'T PEOPLE."



"I INSTINCTIVELY STARTED FILMING. I WONDERED IF KAREN WAS, TOO."



"THEN MORE CAME, TWO OF THEM."



"THERE WAS SOMETHING DIFFERENT ABOUT THESE TWO. THEY SEEMED MORE CONFIDENT."

"I STUDIED BASIC ANIMAL BEHAVIOR."

"HUMANS WEREN'T MUCH DIFFERENT."

"THE TWO LATECOMERS WERE SOME SORT OF AUTHORITY."

"THEY EXPLAINED THINGS. THE YOUNGER PACK TURNED BACK."



"ALL I WANTED AT THAT
MOMENT WAS FOR THEM
TO KEEP MOVING. BUT
THEY DIDN'T.

"THEY WERE LOOKING
AROUND."



OH NO, OH
NO. WHERE ARE
YOU GOING?



KAREN!

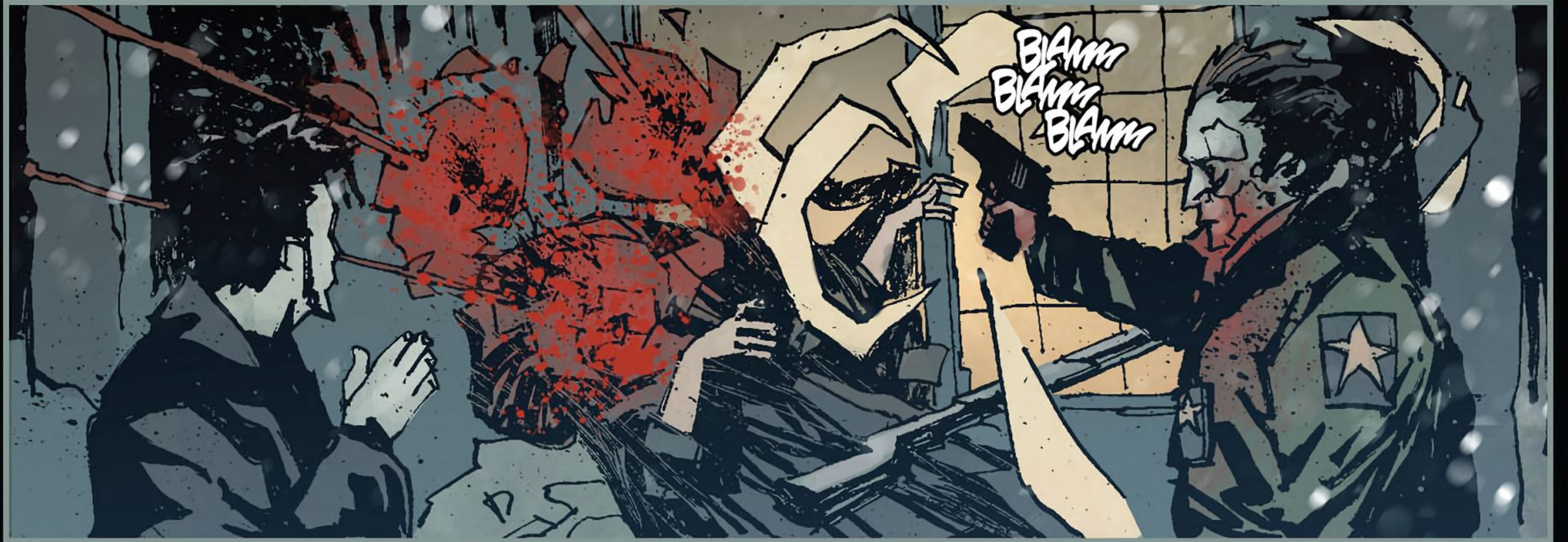
"SHIT."



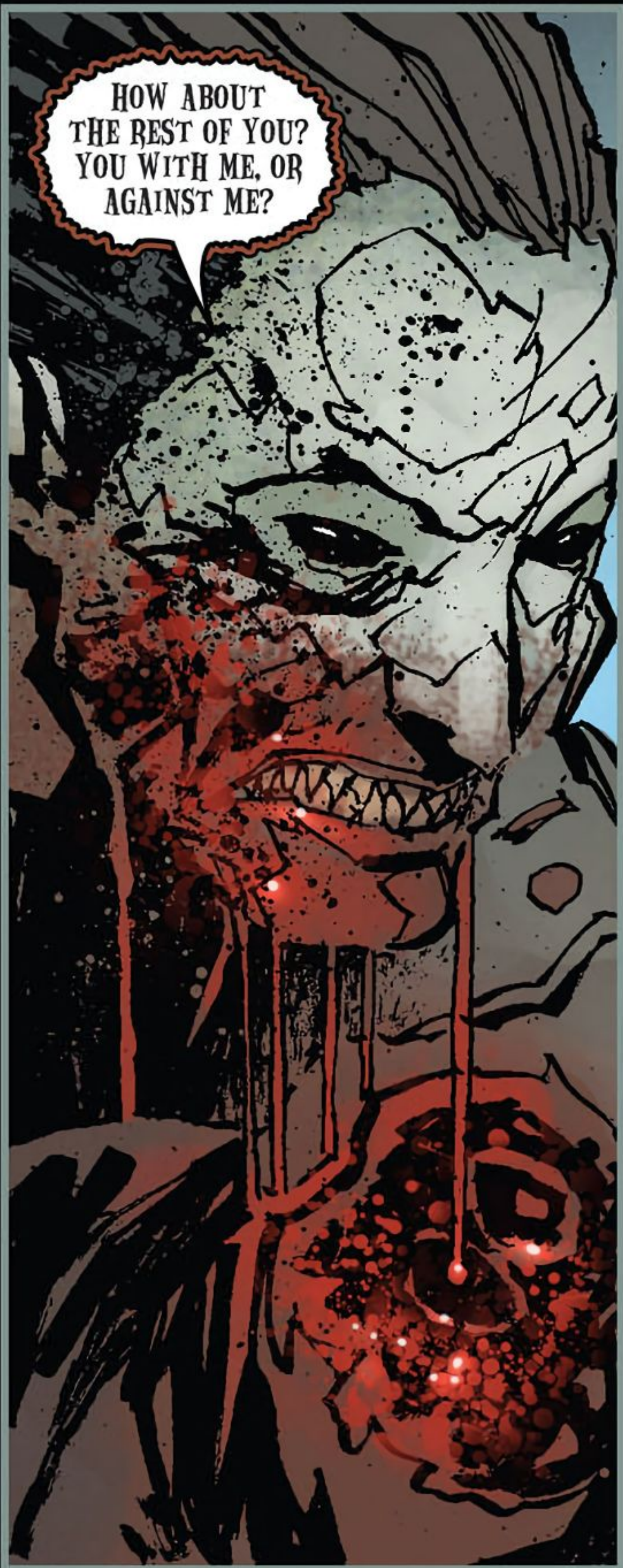














THANK YOU, JOSH.
NOW WHAT ARE THE
BEST OF YOUR NAMES?
I KNOW CARL AND
JOSH HERE.

I'M IVY.

CHRIS.



I'M
ACTUALLY
GLAD I RAN
INTO YOU.



HERE'S
TO A NEW
FUTURE.



THE
FUTURE.

SEE THIS? THIS IS HOW
WE WILL ALL WIND UP IF
WE DON'T CHANGE OUR WAYS.
THE OLD GUARD WOULD HAVE
YOU THINK THAT HIDING IS
THE BEST ROUTE TO
SURVIVAL.









I HAVE LIVED
IN HIDING FOR TOO
MANY YEARS. I HAVE
AVOIDED HUMANS AND
VAMPIRES ALIKE.



WE HAVE EXISTED
FOR AS LONG AS HUMANS
HAVE, AND FOR ALL THAT
TIME, THEY HAVE BEEN
OUR FOOD.



THERE HAVE BEEN TIMES
WHEN THEY BELIEVED IN US, BUT
WE WERE NOT PREPARED, AND
WE LOST THOUSANDS.



WHAT WE ALWAYS
LACKED WAS PLANNING
AND WORKING
TOGETHER.



I NO LONGER BELIEVE
WE SHOULD HIDE. WE ARE
IMMORTALS, AND WE CAN NO
LONGER SIT BACK WHILE
THE HUMANS DESTROY
THIS PLANET.



WE WILL ORGANIZE.
WE WILL ATTACK. WE
WILL SEND THEM BACK TO
THE DARK AGES AND
MAKE THEM OUR
CATTLE.







ALICE.

HENDRIK.



WHEN I ASKED
YOU TO TAKE SOME
TIME OFF, THIS ISN'T
EXACTLY WHAT I
HAD IN MIND.



REALLY?
WELL, I DIDN'T
EXPECT MY JOB
DESCRIPTION TO
INCLUDE KILLING
HUNDREDS OF
INNOCENT
PEOPLE.

JESUS,
KEEP IT
DOWN.



EVEN IF I
CAN JUSTIFY THE
POLICE STATION... I
CAN'T BELIEVE YOU
WIPED OUT THE
CONVENIENCE
STORE.





IT WASN'T MY DECISION. YOU KNOW THAT. I CAN BARELY KEEP THE PROJECT ALIVE AS IT IS. THEY JUST WON'T ALLOW FOR PUBLIC PANIC.

JUST EXTERMINATION IF THEY FIND OUT.



I DIDN'T COME HERE TO HAVE A MORALITY DEBATE WITH YOU.

THEN WHAT DID YOU COME FOR?



I NEED YOU BACK ON THE TEAM. SOME STRANGE SHIT'S HAPPENING AND YOU'RE OUR ONLY AGENT WITH ANY—

—FIRSTHAND EXPERIENCE? THANKS, I'LL CHERISH THE MEMORIES. I THOUGHT THEY SHUT US DOWN.

DUE TO RECENT EVENTS, IT'S ON AGAIN.



TO SECRETS.

I GUESS I CAN DRINK TO THAT. MY WHOLE LIFE IS ONE.





YOU'VE KILLED TWO OF THEM AND DAMAGED ANOTHER. THEY'LL NEVER STOP LOOKING FOR YOU.



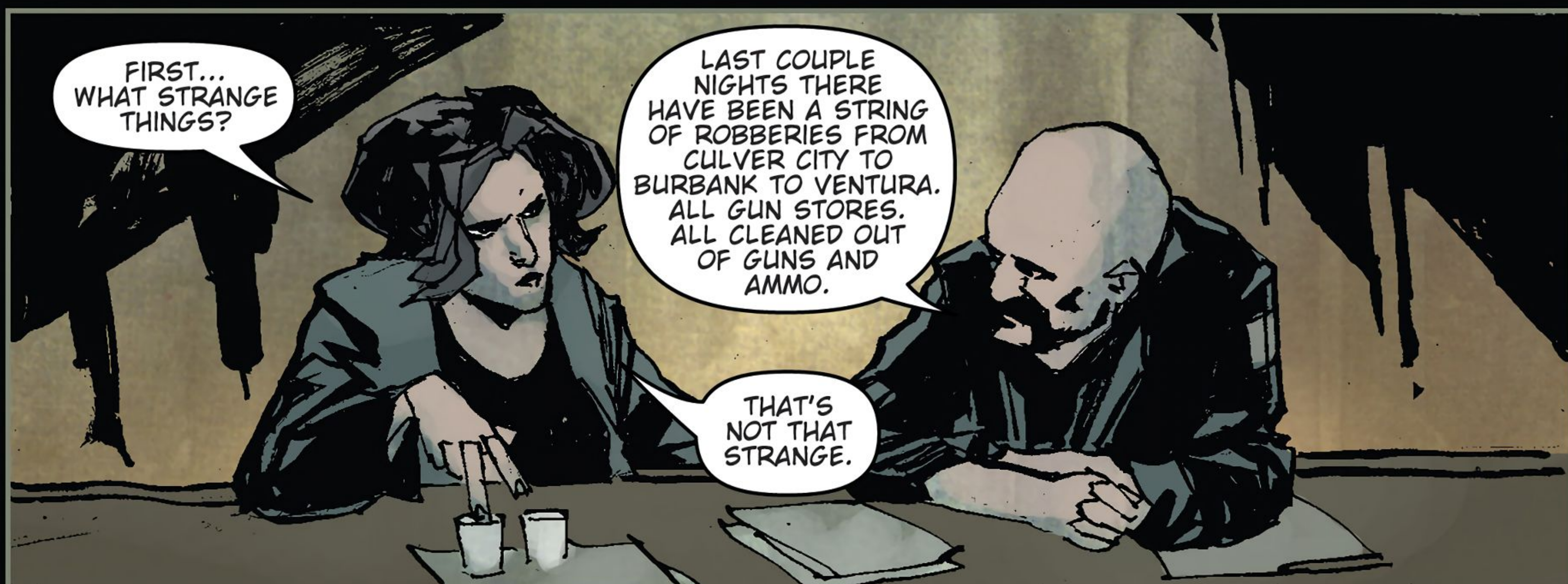
I'VE BEEN STAYING IN HOTELS. MY APARTMENT WAS RANSACKED.



YOU NEED TO COME BACK.

SHOOT.

FIRST, TELL ME A COUPLE THINGS.



FIRST... WHAT STRANGE THINGS?

LAST COUPLE NIGHTS THERE HAVE BEEN A STRING OF ROBBERIES FROM CULVER CITY TO BURBANK TO VENTURA. ALL GUN STORES. ALL CLEANED OUT OF GUNS AND AMMO.

THAT'S NOT THAT STRANGE.



IN ALL CASES THE ALARMS WERE TRIPPED. THE SLOWEST RESPONSE TIME WAS THREE MINUTES. THE PLACES WERE CLEANED OUT AND SUSPECTS GONE IN UNDER THREE MINUTES.



NO REFILL?

NO MORE. I'LL TAKE MY CHECK.



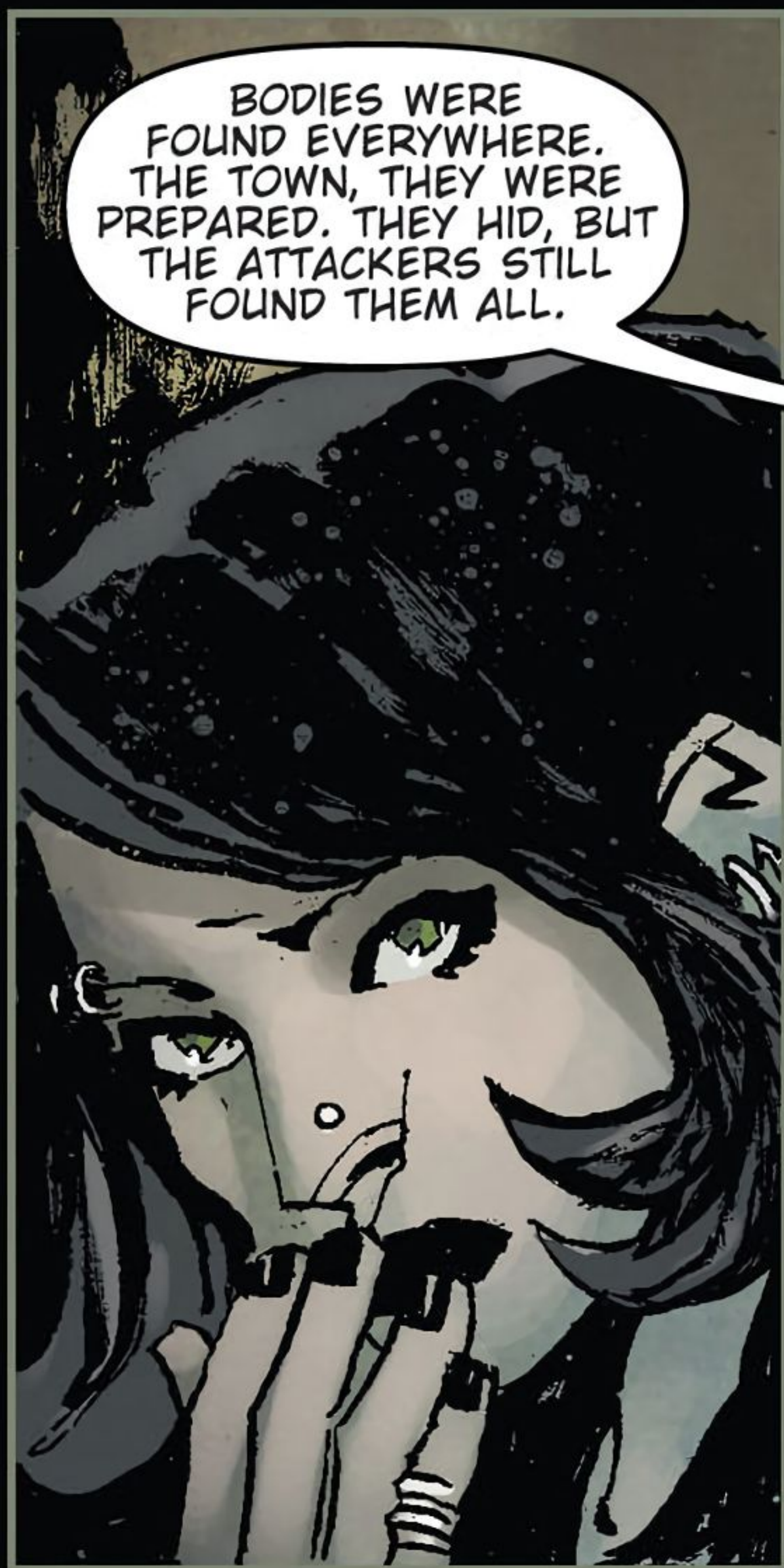
OKAY, WHAT ELSE?

HAVE YOU NOT SEEN THE NEWS THE LAST FEW DAYS?

NO. WHY THE HELL DO YOU THINK I'M DRINKING IN A SPORTS BAR? I'VE BEEN AVOIDING IT.



THERE WAS AN ATTACK. IN BARROW, ALASKA. THE WHOLE TOWN IS GONE... DEAD... THE PEOPLE, I MEAN. BUT A LOT OF BODIES WERE MISSING, TOO. IT'S A MESS.





—AND WHILE WE ALL STAY AT HOME BASE 24/7, ALL TEAM MEMBERS' FAMILIES MUST BE RELOCATED AND PUT UNDER PROTECTIVE CUSTODY IF POSSIBLE.



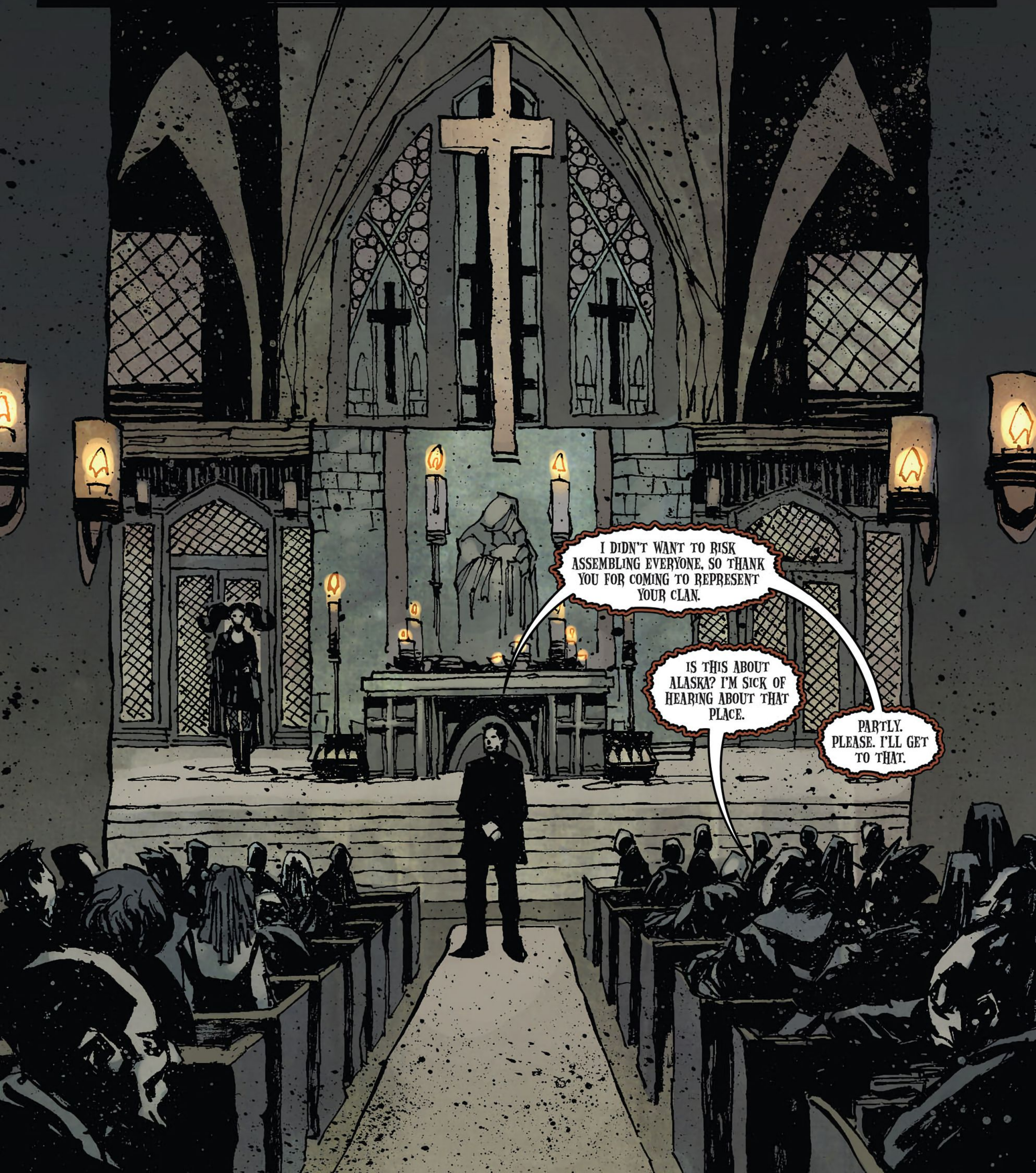
WHAT ARE YOU HOLDING OUT ON ME?

NOTHING. I'M WORKING WITH THE SAME INFORMATION YOU HAVE.

TELL ME WHAT MAKES YOU THINK... THESE MEASURES ARE NECESSARY?



HAVE YOU EVER HEARD OF EBEN AND STELLA OLEMAUN?









BUT YOU MUST ALSO
CONSIDER OTHER NOTABLE
NEWS ITEMS. FOR ONE, THE
BOMBING OF A POLICE PRECINCT
AND A RASH OF UNEXPLAINED
DEATHS, ATTACKS, AND
DISAPPEARANCES.



BUT OF COURSE,
SOME OF THAT IS
OUR WORK.



OVER 20 GUN
STORES WERE ROBBED
AND CLEANED OUT OF
ALL MERCHANDISE.

AND THAT WAS MY
FINAL BIT OF NEWS. ONLY
OUR KIND COULD HAVE
DONE THAT.



SO MANY
FACTS...



...AND YET YOU
HAVE SO LITTLE
RIGHT.



WAIT.
STAND DOWN.



I THINK
I KNOW WHO
YOU ARE.

I DON'T
KNOW ANY
PRIESTS.

NOT VERY
SMART COMING
HERE ALONE...
EBEN.



I THINK WHO'S
SMARTER IS STILL OPEN
FOR DEBATE... PAUL.







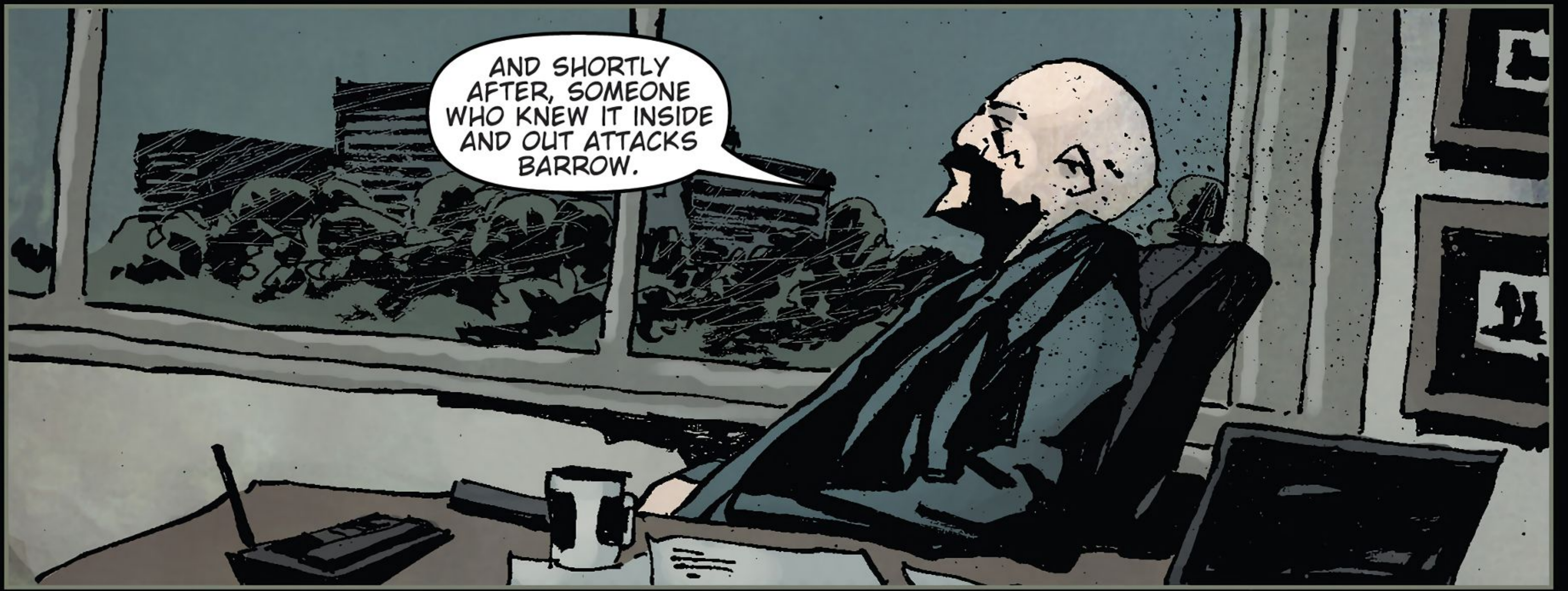
















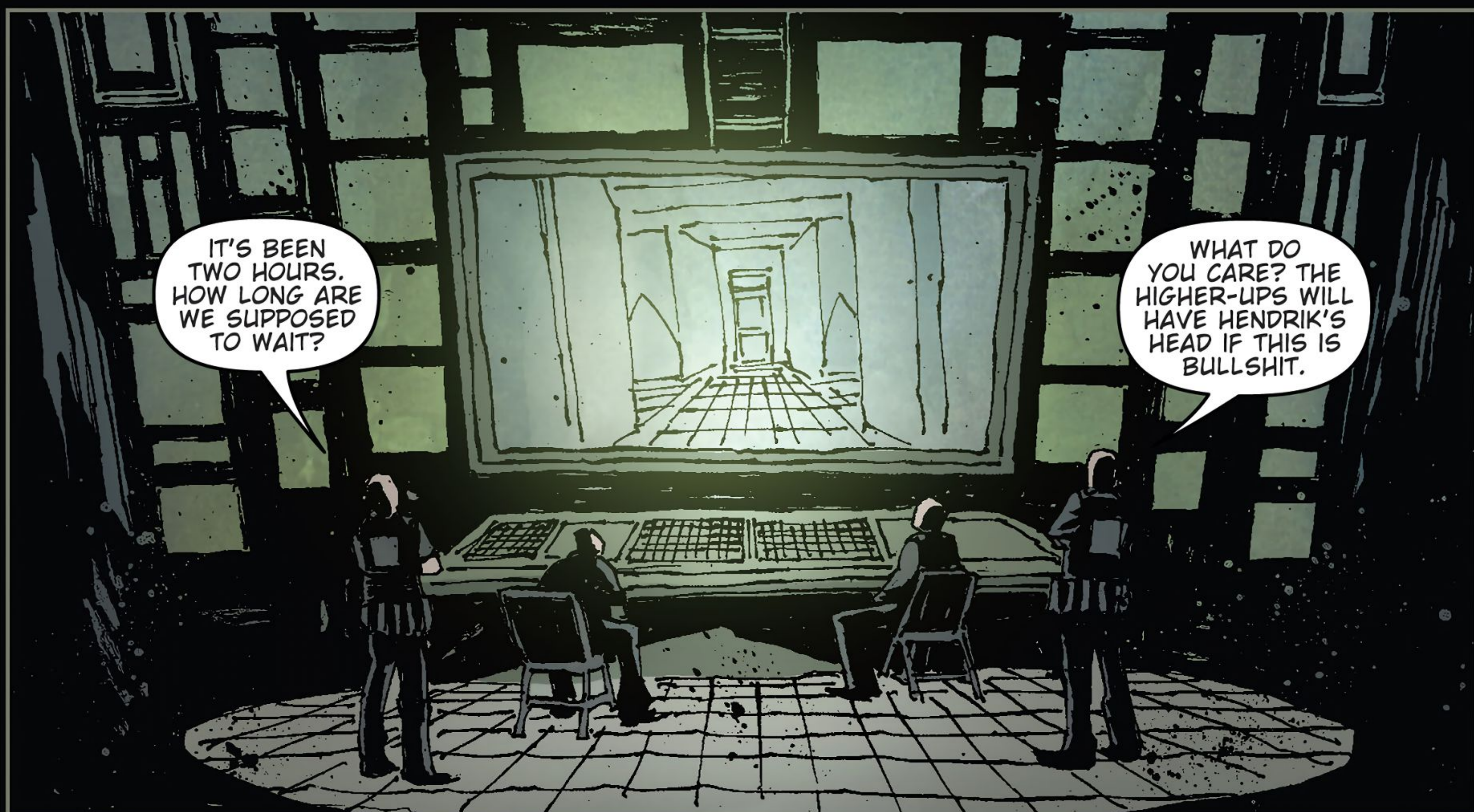
TEAM A,
WHAT'S YOUR
STATUS?



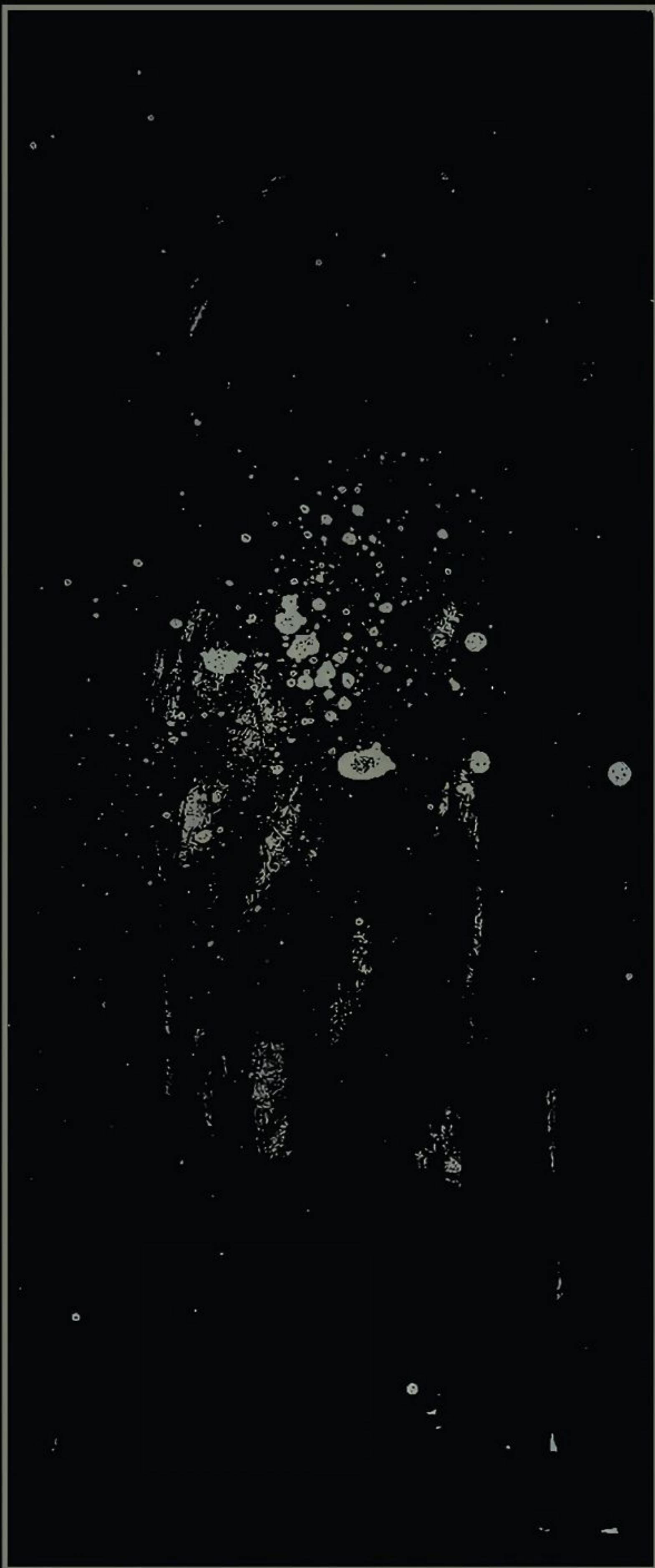
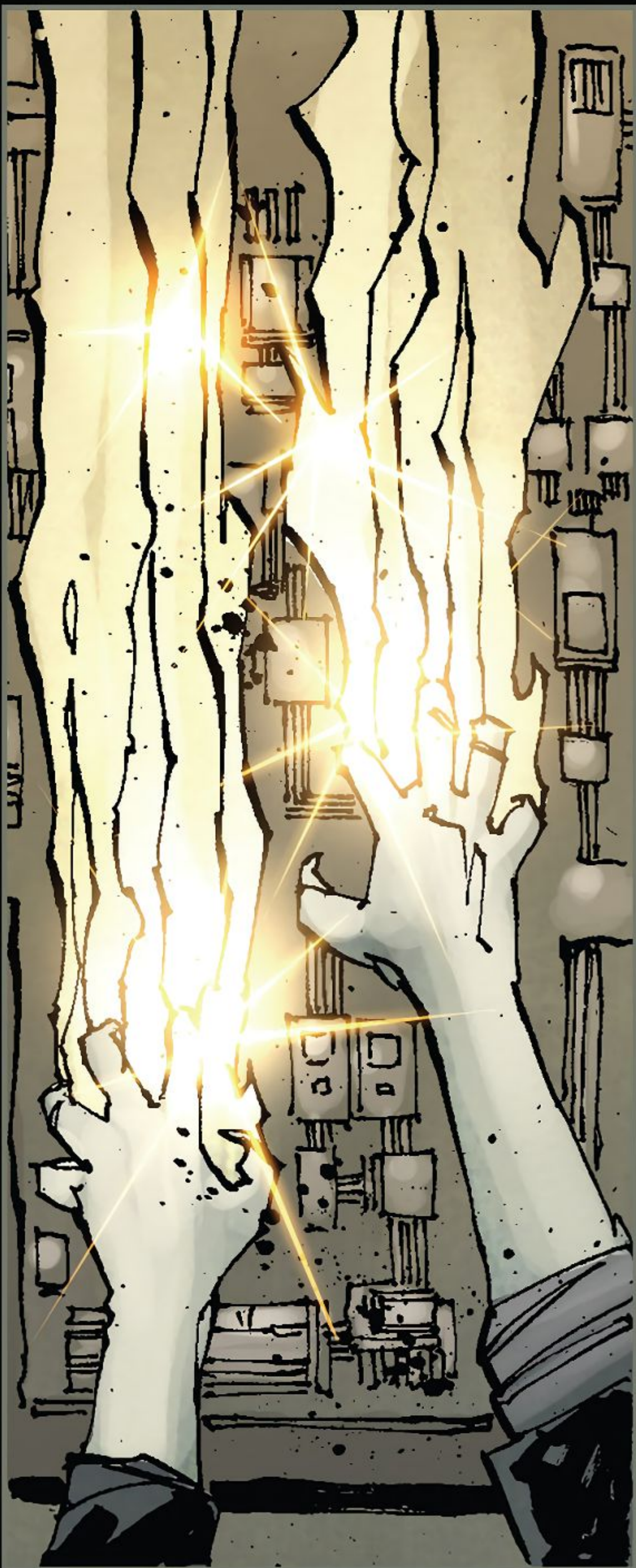
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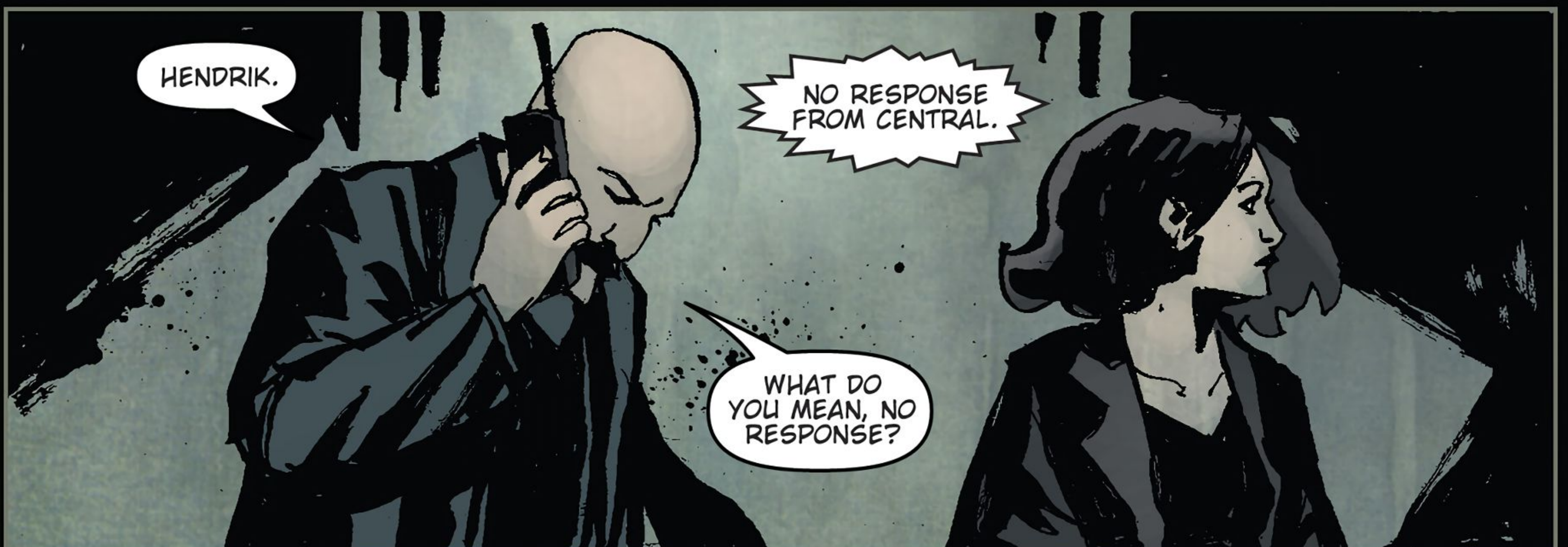


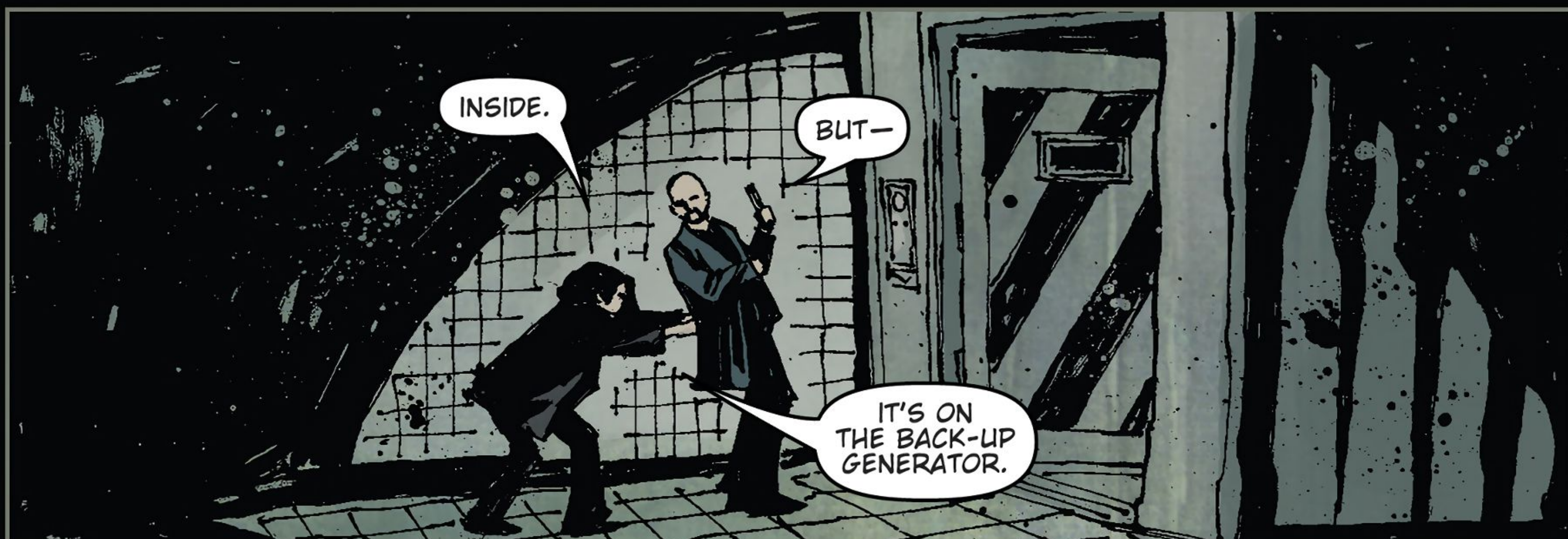
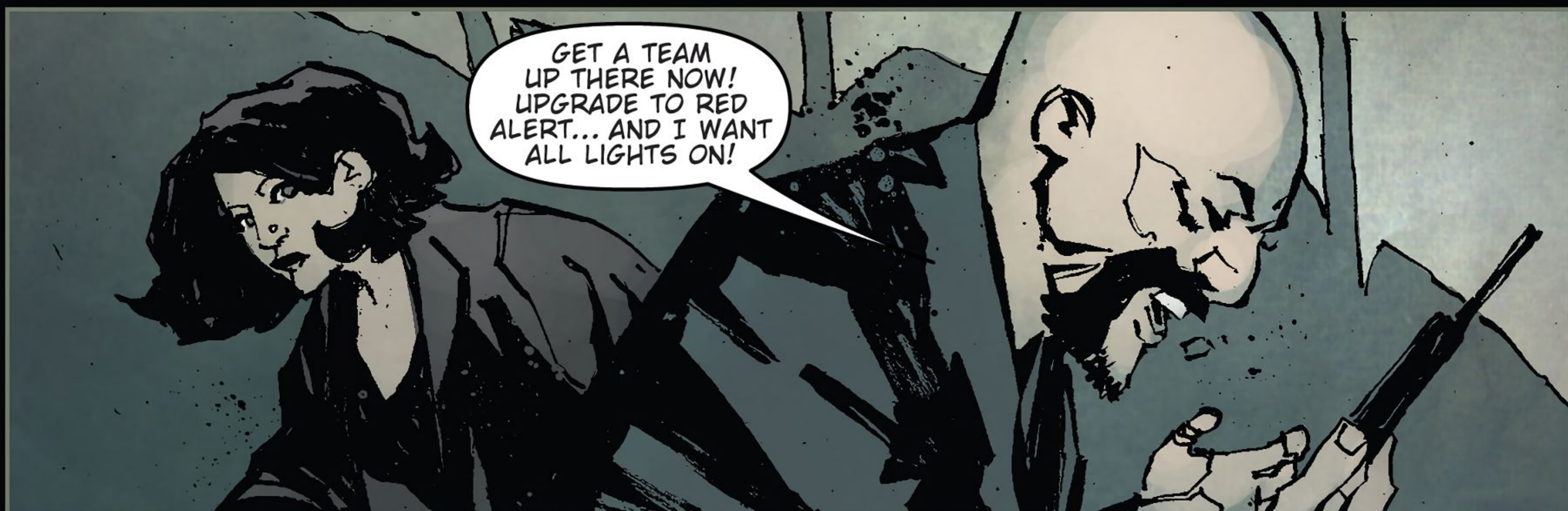






























WE SHOULD JUST GET OUT OF HERE. WE CAN'T HELP ANYONE. IF THEY'RE SMART, THEY'LL BACK OFF, TOO.



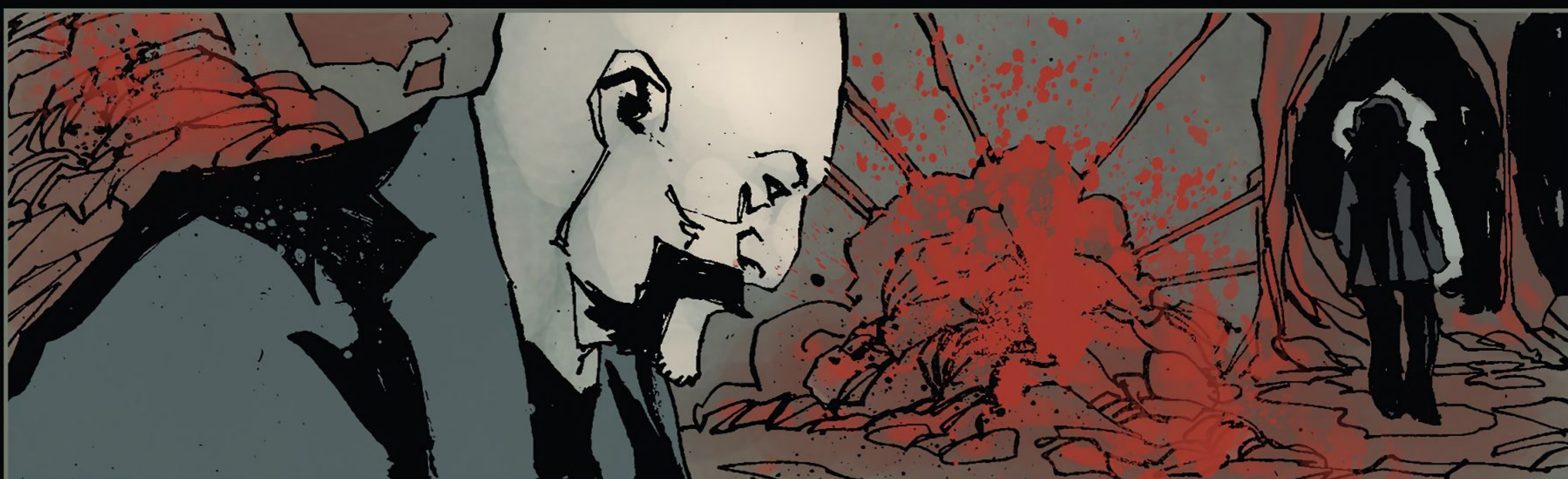
THEY WON'T BECAUSE THEY'RE LOYAL. I HAVE TO FIND A RADIO THAT WORKS AND GIVE THE ORDER. OTHERWISE THEY'LL STAY ON POST AND GET KILLED.



YOU GO. I MEAN IT. I NEED YOU ALIVE.



SHOOT ANYTHING THAT COMES AT YOU. DON'T EVEN THINK ABOUT TAKING THEM ALIVE... AND USE THE TAZER. IT WON'T KILL THEM, BUT IT WILL SLOW THEM DOWN OR BLOW THEIR HEAD OFF.















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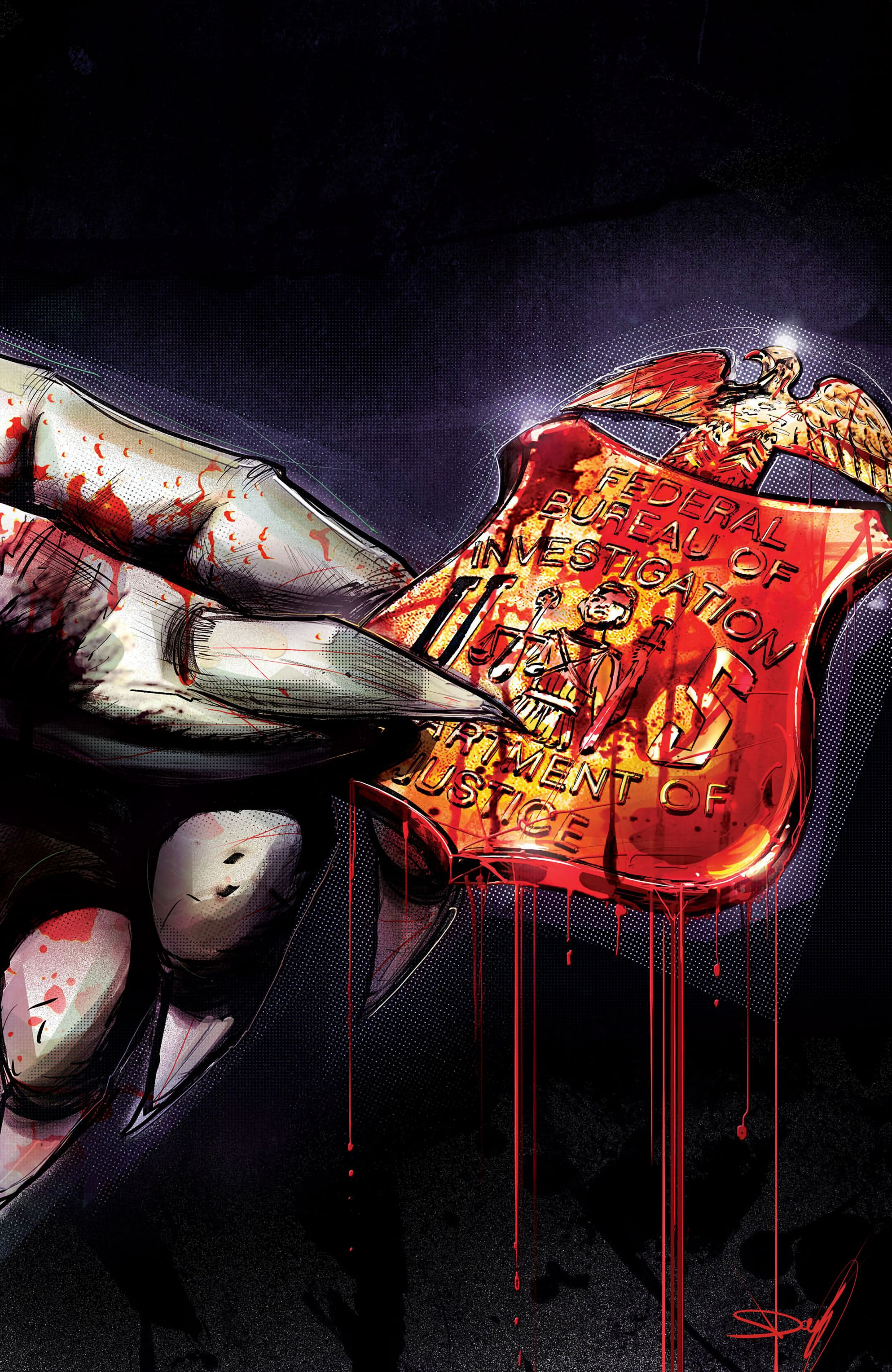


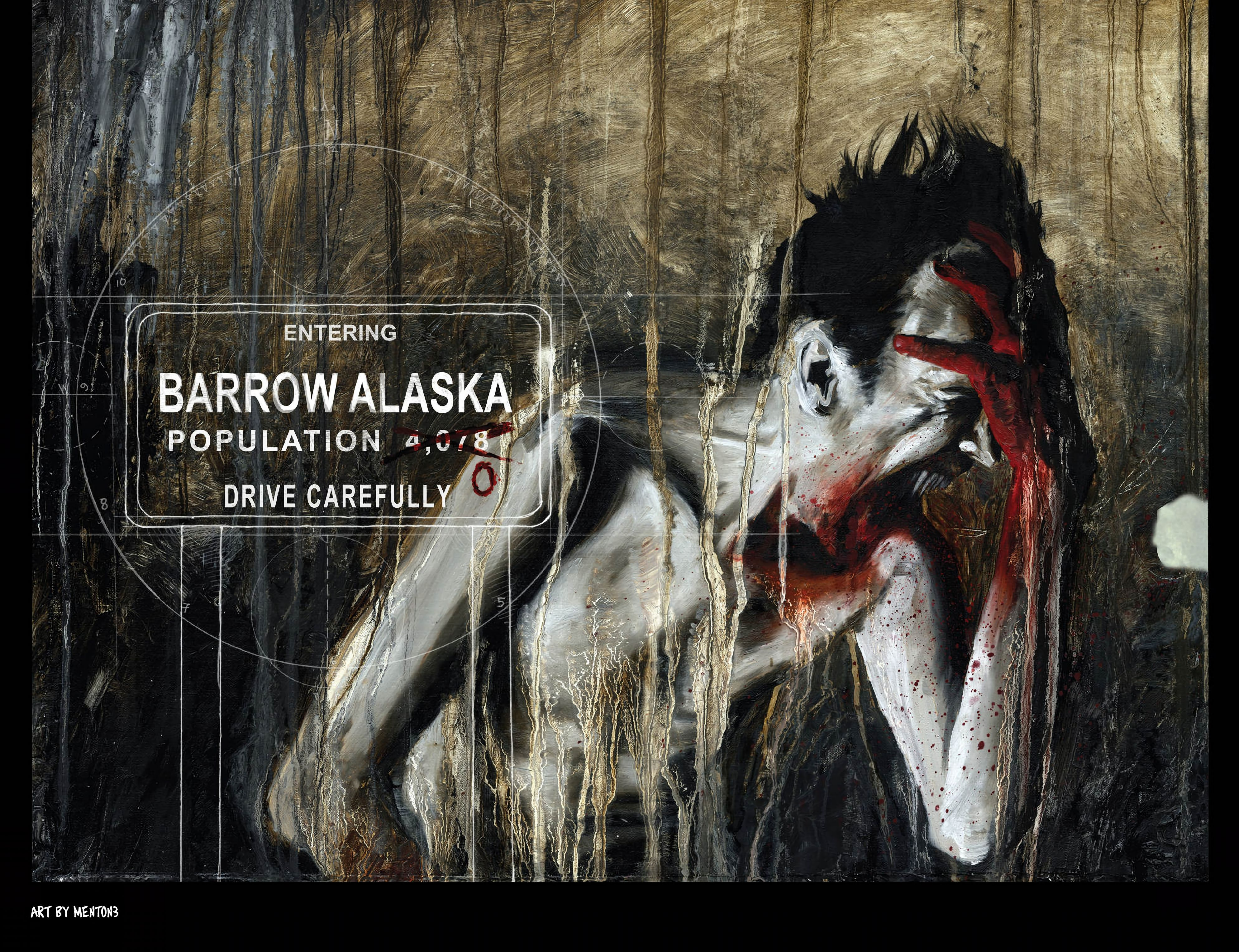
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ENTERING
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DRIVE CAREFULLY



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...AND I AM NOT A NUT BAG